

D-CERNO

Wired Conference System



Installation and User Manual

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Section 1 – General Information

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3. Conformity info

The D-Cerno Wired Conference system is compliant with following standards:

- EN60065
- EN55103-1/-2
- IEC60914

4. Safety Instructions

The D-Cerno Conference system is state of the art and has been designed to meet quality.

Nevertheless, the individual components of the conference system can cause danger for persons and material assets if

- the conference system is not used as intended,
- the conference system is set up by personnel not familiar with the safety regulations,
- the conference system is converted or altered incorrectly,
- the safety instructions are not observed.

4.1. Important safety instructions

1. Read Instructions

All the safety and operating instructions should be read before the product is operated.

1. Retain Instructions

The safety and operating instructions should be retained for future reference.

2. Heed Warnings

All warnings on the product and the operating instructions should be adhered to.

3. Follow Instructions

All instructions for installation or operating / use should be followed.

4. Cleaning

Unplug this product from the wall outlet before cleaning. Do not use liquid cleaners or aerosol cleaners. Use a damp cloth for cleaning.

5. Ventilation

Slots and openings in the cabinet are provided for ventilation and to ensure reliable operation of the product and to protect it from overheating. These openings must not be blocked or covered. The openings should never be blocked by placing the product on a bed, sofa, rug, or other similar surface. This product should not be placed in a built-in installation such as a bookcase or rack unless proper ventilation is provided or the manufacturer's instructions have been adhered to.

6. Heat

The product should be situated away from heat sources such as radiators, heat registers, stoves, or other products (including amplifiers) that produce heat.

7. Attachments

Do not use attachments not recommended by the product manufacturer as they may cause hazards.

8. Water and Moisture

Do not use this product near water or in a moistures environment - for example, near a bath tub, wash bowl, kitchen sink, or laundry tub; in a wet basement; or near a swimming pool, in an unprotected outdoor installation; and the like.

9. Accessories

Only use attachments/accessories specified by the manufacturer. Do not place this product on an unstable cart, stand, tripod, bracket, or table. The product may fall, causing serious injury to a child or adult, and serious damage to the product. Use only with a cart, stand, tripod, bracket, or table recommended by the manufacturer, or sold with the product. Any mounting of the product should follow the manufacturer's instructions, and should use a mounting accessory recommended by the manufacturer.

10. Moving

A product and cart combination should be moved with care. Quick stops, excessive force, and uneven surfaces may cause the product and cart combination to overturn.

11. Power Sources

This product should be operated only from the type of power source indicated on the marking label. If you are not sure of the type of power supply to your home, consult your product dealer or local power company. For products intended to operate from battery power, or other sources, refer to the operating instructions.

12. Power Lines

An outdoor system should not be located in the vicinity of overhead power lines or other electric light or power circuits, or where it can fall into such power lines or circuits. When installing an outdoor system, extreme care should be taken to keep from touching such power lines or circuits, as contact with them might be fatal. U.S.A. models only - refer to the National Electrical Code Article 820 regarding installation of CATV systems.

13. Grounding or Polarization

Do not defeat the safety purpose of the polarized or ground-type plug. A polarized plug has two blades

with one wider than the other. A grounding type plug has two blades and a third grounding prong. The wider blade or the third prong are provided for your safety. If the provided plug does not fit into your outlet, consult an electrician for replacement of the obsolete outlet.

14. Power-Cord Protection

Power-supply cords should be routed to that they are not likely to be walked on or pinched by items placed upon or against them, paying particular attention to cords at plug, convenience receptacles, and the point where they exit from the product.

15. Lightning

For added protection for this product during a lightning storm, or when it is left unattended and unused for long periods of time, unplug it from the wall outlet. This will prevent damage to the product due to lightning and power-line surges.

Not applicable when special functions are to be maintained, such as evacuation systems

16. Overloading

Do not overload wall outlets, extension cords or integral convenience receptacles as this can result in a risk of fire or electric shock.

17. Object and Liquid Entry

Never push objects of any kind into this product through openings as they may touch dangerous voltage points or short-out parts that could result in a fire or electric shock. Never spill liquid of any kind on the product.

18. Inflammable and Explosive Substance

Avoid using this product where there are gases, and also where there are inflammable and explosive substances in the immediate vicinity.

19. Heavy Shock or Vibration

When carrying this product around, do not subject the product to heavy shock or vibration.

20. Servicing

Do not attempt to service this product yourself as opening or removing covers may expose you to dangerous voltage or other hazards. Refer all servicing to qualified service personnel.

21. Damage Requiring Service

Unplug this product from the wall outlet and refer servicing to qualified service personnel under the following conditions:

- a. When the power-supply cord or plug is damaged.
- b. if liquid has been spilled, or objects have fallen into the product.
- c. If the product has been exposed to rain or water.
- d. If the product does not operate normally by following the operating instructions. Adjust only those controls that are covered by the operating instructions as an improper adjustment of other controls may result in damage and will often require extensive work by a qualified technician to restore the product to its normal operation.
- e. If the product has been dropped or damaged in any way.
- f. When the product exhibits a distinct change in performance-this indicates a need for service.

22. Replacement Parts

When replacement parts are required, be sure the service technician has used replacement parts specified by the manufacturer or have the same characteristics as the original part. Unauthorized substitutions may result in fire, electric shock, or other hazards.

23. Safety Check

Upon completion of any service or repairs to this product, ask the service technician to perform safety checks to determine that the product is in proper operating condition.

24. Coax Grounding

If an outside cable system is connected to the apparatus, be sure the cable system is grounded. U.S.A. models only: Section 810 of the National Electrical Code, ANSI/NFPA No.70-1981, provides information with respect to proper grounding of the mount and supporting structure, grounding of the coax to a discharge apparatus, size of grounding conductors, location of discharge unit, connection to grounding electrodes, and requirements for the grounding electrode.

4.2. Power Connections

For permanently connected equipment, a readily accessible disconnect device shall be incorporated in the fixed wiring; For pluggable equipment, the socket-outlet shall be installed near the equipment and shall be easily accessible.



¡WARNING!

RISK OF ELECTRIC SHOCK DO NOT OPEN



WARNING: TO REDUCE THE RISK OF ELECTRIC SHOCK,

DO NOT REMOVE POWER SUPPLY COVERS NO USER-SERVICABLE PARTS INSIDE REFER SERVICING TO QUALIFIED PERSONNEL

This label may appear on the bottom of the apparatus due to space limitations.



The lightning flash with an arrowhead symbol, with an equilateral triangle, is intended to alert the user to the presence of un-insulated 'dangerous voltage'

within the products enclosure that may be of sufficient magnitude to constitute a risk of electric shock to persons.



The exclamation mark within an equilateral triangle is intended to alert the user to the presence of important operating and maintenance (servicing)

instructions in the literature accompanying the appliance.



Warning:

To reduce the risk of fire or electric shock, do not expose this appliance to rain or moisture. Do not open the cabinet; refer servicing to qualified personnel only.



Warning:

To prevent electric shock, do not use this (polarized) plug with an extension cord receptacle or other outlet unless the blades can be fully inserted to prevent blade exposure.



Attention:

Installation should be performed by qualified service personnel only in accordance with the National Electrical Code or applicable local codes.



Attention:

Equipment with or without ON/OFF switches have power supplied to the equipment whenever the power cord is inserted into the power source; however, the equipment is operational only when the ON/OFF switch is in the ON position. The power cord is the main power disconnect for all equipment.

5. D-Cerno System Architecture

The D-Cerno system is a digital discussion system for small to medium size conference rooms.

The main characteristics of the system are:

- Cristal clear audio reproduction: digital signal processing, high quality GSM interference free microphone and loudspeaker, resulting in excellent intelligibility.
- Attractive, stylish design: contemporary, unobtrusive and low profile, fitting into modern and traditional style conference rooms
- Plug and Play: easy installation, up and running in no time, ideal for frequently changing environments
- High reliability: built-in redundancy feature touch sensor technology, hygienic, easy to clean, equal performance over the entire lifespan of the product.

5.1. System components

A D-Cerno system consists out of the following components:

- Central unit (Art. 71.98.0320)
 - o D-Cerno CU
 - o D-Cerno PS
 - o Mains cable
 - o Conference system cable (2m)
 - o Quick guide
- Central unit-R (Art. 71.98.0321)
 - o D-Cerno CU-R
 - o D-Cerno PS
 - o Mains cable
 - o Conference system cable (2m)
 - o Quick guide

- Delegate unit (Art. 71.98.0301)
 - o D-Cerno D
 - o Conference system cable (2m)
- Chairman unit (Art. 71.98.0302)
 - o D-Cerno C
 - o Conference system cable (2m)
- Spare power supply (Art. 71.98.0340)
 - o D-Cerno PS
 - o Mains cable
- System cables, available in different lengths
 - DCC2 2m cable set: 4 x 2 m (Art. 71.98.0345)
 - DCC5 5m cable set: 4 x 5 m (Art. 71.98.0346)
 - DCC10 10m cable set: 4 x 10 m (Art. 71.98.0347)
 - DCC20 20m cable set: 2 x 20 m (Art. 71.98.0348)

Detailed info about the different components can be found in Section 2 of this manual.

5.2. Network structure

The central unit can control and power a total of 50 units over the four available conference ports.

The network can be structured in two way:

- Branch configuration
- Closed loop configuration

Each branch, loop can handle a maximum of 25 units if the total cable length is respected.

The total cable length of a branch / loop cannot exceed the maximum of 400 m.

The max cable length between units or between units and central unit is 80 m.

The maximum power consumption of a unit is 2W.

Below a graphical representation of a D-Cerno configuration.

At the left side a branch configuration connected to port 1.

At the right a closed loop configuration between port 3 and 4.

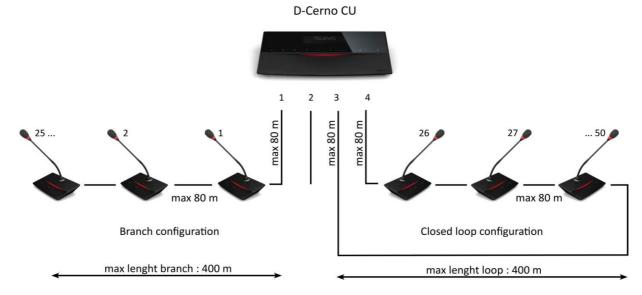


Figure 5.1 : D-Cerno network

Designing a system in a closed loop configuration provides a redundant system and thus increases the reliability of the system.

If for some reason a cable or unit gets defective the system stays operational.

The units have the possibility to detect the flow of the signal automatically providing a free port selection. If at some point no signal is provided anymore, automatically the signal flow will be reversed. As a result the system configuration stays operational.

The figures below illustrates:

- Branch configuration in normal operation
- Branch configuration with cabling error
- Loop configuration with cabling error



Figure 5.2 : D-Cerno branch configuration, no error



Figure 5.3: D-Cerno branch configuration, cable error



Figure 5.4 : D-Cerno loop configuration, cable error

Section 2 – System Components

6. Table Top Delegate units

6.1. Introduction

The contribution units consist out of delegate and chairman units. Both are used for speech reinforcement in a conference room. The chairman units are used to guide and control an ongoing discussion.

6.2. Controls and indicators

The D-Cerno delegate units have the following features:

1. Microphone touch sensor button:

Activation/deactivation of the microphone. Indication LEDs show the status of the microphone. (red: active, green: request)

2. Loudspeaker:

Distributes the floor channel. Mutes in case microphone is active.

3. Headphone connector:

Connection of headphone to the unit. Monoand stereo headphones can be used.

4. Volume touch sensor buttons:

Change the volume level of the headphones.

Remark: volume change is only possible when a headphone is connected

5. Microphone

6. Led bar

Indicates the status of the unit.

Red: unit is active

Green: unit is in request mode

Pressing the Next-in-line or PRIOR button on a chairman unit is indicated by illuminating the

corresponding part of the led bar.

NEXT button: (chairman unit only) Grants the floor to the next delegate in the waiting list.

PRIOR button: (chairman unit only) permanently deactivates the microphone of all active units.

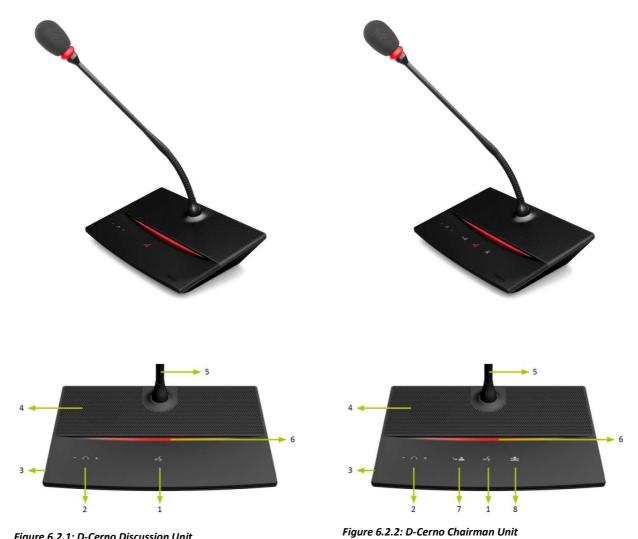


Figure 6.2.1: D-Cerno Discussion Unit

6.3. Installation

D-Cerno units offer free input/output connectivity to allow flexible cabling.

The delegate units can be connected as a daisy chain branch or in loop to ensure redundancy and increase reliability.



Figure 6.3: D-Cerno connectivity

Make sure that the units are not positioned too close to each other. It is recommended to keep a distance of 1m between the units to prevent howling.

The recommended speaking distance for people to speak to the microphone is between 20 to 40 cm.

6.4. Microphones

6.4.1. Introduction

The D-Cerno microphone has a uni-directional response for optimum performance even in noisy conditions, and has a very low susceptibility to interference from mobile phones.

6.4.2. Electrical and acoustic properties

Table 6.4.2: Microphone characteristics

| Transducer type | Back electret (condenser) |
|------------------------|--|
| Operating principle | Pressure gradient |
| Polar pattern | Uni-directional, cardioid |
| Frequency response | 130 Hz – 150000 Hz |
| Nominal impedance | 1kOhm (at 1 kHz, drop resistance = 1k2, Vdd = 3.3VDC) |
| Load impedance | > 5kOhm |
| Max.SPL at 1 kHz | 120 dB SPL |
| Free field sensitivity | 7mV/Pa, +/- 3 dB at 1 kHz or (-43dB, 0dB=1V/Pa at 1kHz) |
| Power supply | 3.3V DC, 0.5 mA |
| Consumption | 0.5 mA (without LED ring); max. 25 mA (with illuminated ring) |
| | |

6.5. Maintenance

6.5.1. General



Caution:

Do not put any objects on top of the units. Object falling through the holes of the unit can cause damage.



Caution:

Do not install the units in a location near heat sources as radiators, air ducts or direct sunlight.



Caution:

Make sure the units are not exposed to excessive dust, humidity, mechanical vibration or shock.

6.5.2. Cleaning



Caution:

Do not use alcohol, ammonia or petroleum solvents or abrasive cleaners to clean the units.

To keep its original condition it is advised to periodically clean the unit:

- Use a clean soft cloth that is not fully moist.
- Make sure the device is completely dry before usage.

7. Central Control unit

7.1. Introduction

The D-Cerno CU is the heart of the system. It controls all delegate units and can interconnect to other systems via the external audio connections.

The system operates in a standalone mode and controls a maximum of 50 units. Configuration can be done via the integrated menu.



Figure 7.1 : D-Cerno connectivity

7.2. Controls and indicators

All controls are done via touch panel by means of an intuitive user interface menu (see chapter 11)

A user can activate or select a control or menu item by touching one of the symbols underneath the display.

7.3. External Connections

1. +48V DC power connector



Figure 7.2 : DC power connector

2. 4 x RJ45 ports to connect up to max 50 delegate units. (max. 25 units per branch or loop).

For more information please use the power calculator



Figure 7.3: System ports

The green indicator points to detected signal, without errors (devices detected).

The yellow indicator points to error or no signal detected (no devices connected)

3. 2 x RJ45 ports



Figure 7.4: Master - Slave ports

2 RJ-45 shielded connectors for a connection with 2 slave central units when the central unit is master in a coupled environment.

In Case a larger number of units are required the system can be extended with 2 extra central units in master/slave configuration. The maximum of units is 150 (3 central units).

4. LAN connector



Figure 7.5: LAN connector

Webserver connection (D-Cerno CU-R only)

Through the LAN connector it is possible to connect the central unit to the local network. This makes it possible to control the recording and configuration by web browser on your PC or mobile device.

5. Two unbalanced RCA audio output connectors to extract analog audio floor signal



Figure 7.6 : Aux Out

The green indicators light up when there is an output signal > -40dBV present

6. One unbalanced RCA analog audio input connector to add external signal to the floor



Figure 7.7: Aux in

The red indicators light up when there is an overload of the input signal (signal > +9dBV)

7. One balanced XLR analog audio connector to add external signal to the floor

The red indicators light up when there is an overload of the input signal.

The AUX In connections on the central unit have a XLR 3 Female connector. So a cable with XLR 3 Male connector should be used to insert an external signal.





Figure 7.8: XLR pin assignment

| Pin 1 | Shield |
|-------|----------|
| Pin 2 | Signal + |
| Pin 3 | Signal - |

8. Headphone connector

Headphone monitoring.

8. Power Supply

The power supply can operate on an input voltage range of 100-240 Vac , 47-63 Hz.

The output voltage is 48V dc – 3.15A max

9. System cables

Cables used in the D-Cerno system are Cat5e (AWG 24 FTP) cables with RJ45 connectors.

Contribution units and central units are standard delivered with a premade cable of 2m.

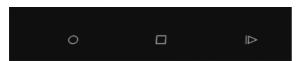
In case additional cables are required Televic has standard pre-made cables available in different lengths.

- DCC2 2m cable set: 4 x 2 m (Art. 71.98.0345)
- DCC5 5m cable set: 4 x 5 m (Art. 71.98.0346)
- DCC10 10m cable set: 4 x 10 m (Art.71.98.0347)
- DCC20 20m cable set: 2 x 20 m (Art. 71.98.0348)

Section 3 – Configuring the system

10. Menu Navigation





The D-cerno CU-R has 3 extra record buttons. With this buttons it is possible to start/stop or pause a recording.

- O start recording
- Stop recording
- I Listen/ pause recording

After start-up of the system, the main menu shows up.



The main menu consists of a system volume section and a configuration menu entrance.

The main system volume can be adapted with the <> keys or via the dedicated volume buttons.

The menu consists out of several levels. Each level functions as a ring structure navigating from the last to first item or vice versa.



Enter the configuration menu

- Enter the next menu level
- A Return to previous menu level
- < Select previous menu item
- > Select next menu item



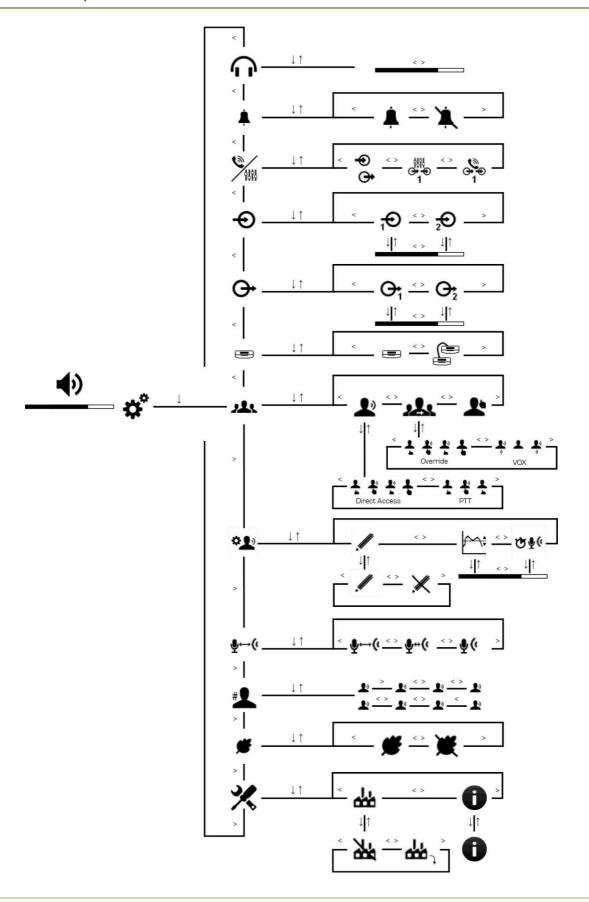
Highlight of selected item

The loudspeaker volume settings can be done directly on the central unit.



11. Menu overview

The menu structure on the next pages can be used as a quick reference guide to configure the conference systems.



| Level | | I | Description |
|-------------|--------------|-------|--------------------------------------|
| L1 | L2 | L3 | |
| 220 | 220 | | Microphone mode |
| | 1 0 | | Direct Speak |
| | | | Toggle |
| | | ÷ + + | Push to talk |
| | 2 | | Override |
| | | | Toggle |
| | | * T * | VOX |
| | 4 | | Request |
| * •• | | | Vox settings |
| | .// | | Pencil drop |
| | / | | Pencil drop on |
| | | | Pencil drop off |
| <u></u> | | | Sensitivity |
| | | | Sensitivity adjustment |
| | ₽ ∳(| | Release time |
| | | | Release time adjustment |
| •••(• | | | Microphone sensitivity preset |
| | ∳ ⊷(• | | Preset Far |
| | ∳ (ı | | Preset Average |
| •€(: | | | Preset Close |
| #_ | | | Number of active speakers allowed |
| ₽ | | | Representation of speaker, maximum 8 |
| # | | | Eco Power |
| | # | | Eco Power on |

| Eco power off | |
|----------------------------|---|
| Settings menu | |
| Factory settings | |
| Factory settings OFF | |
| Activate factory settings | |
| System information | |
| Information about software | and hardware versions of the central unit |
| Headphone volume | |
| Headphone volume adjustm | ent |
| Chime | |
| Chime on | |
| Chime off | |
| External processing | |
| Independent aux settings | |
| External Processing | |
| Remote Conferencing | |
| Auxiliary OUT settings | |
| Ot Aux OUT 1 | |
| Aux OUT 1 volume adjustme | ent |
| O→2 Aux OUT 2 | |
| Aux OUT 2 volume adjustme | ent |
| Auxiliary IN settings | |
| → Aux IN 1 | |
| Aux IN 1 volume adjustment | |
| Aux IN 2 | |
| Aux IN 2 volume adjustment | |

| = 9 | | Master/slave configuration |
|------------|---|----------------------------|
| | | Slave configuration |
| | • | Master conifguration |

Section 4 – The Menu explained

12. Main Menu

Config menu selection allows entering the different settings as described below

All selected settings are activated immediately except for "restore factory settings" which needs additional confirmation.

12.1. Loudspeaker volume







Adjust the loudspeaker volume of the system.

The loudspeakers setting are the same as for a delegate as for a chairman.

Loudspeaker volume is adjustable between 0dB and - 46dB + "OFF"

12.2. Conference modes

In order to guide a conference several conference modes are available.

Chairman microphones are not affected by any conference mode and can be activated at any time with a maximum of 8 chairman units.

12.2.1. Direct Access



Enables the participant to turn on his microphone at any time by pressing the MIC icon on his conference unit



Several participants can be active simultaneously until the microphone limit setting (see chapter 12.5) is reached.

The chairman can cancel all the active microphones by short pressing the PRIOR icon. This can cause a chime audio signal (If this setting is active see chapter 12.9)



Holding the PRIOR button will temporarily mute all active microphones. Releasing the button will return the state of the microphone before the PRIOR button was pressed.

Activation mode



In the direct access mode there is an additional setting to define the way a delegate is granted the floor.

Toggle

Represented by animation sequence



The microphone icon needs to be pressed to activate the unit and once more to deactivate the unit.

Push to talk

Represented by animation sequence



The microphone is only active as long as the MIC icon is pressed.

12.2.2. Override (1-8)



Makes it possible to activate 1 to 8 delegates simultaneously depending on microphone limit setting (see chapter 12.5) Whenever the microphone limit is reached, and a delegate presses the microphone icon, the longest active microphone will be deactivated.

The chairman can cancel all the active microphones by short pressing the PRIOR icon.



Holding the PRIOR button will temporarily mute all active microphones. Releasing the button will return the state of the microphone before the PRIOR button was pressed.

Activation mode



In the override mode there is an additional setting to define the way a delegate is granted the floor.

Toggle

Represented by animation sequence



The microphone icon needs to be pressed to activate the unit and once more to deactivate the unit.

VOX



The microphone of the delegates will be activated based on the fact that they start to talk. Once they stop talking the microphone will automatically be switched off when the release time has expired (see chapter 0).

12.2.3. With request



Whenever the microphone limit is reached pressing the MIC icon will add the delegate in a waiting list. The unit will enter into request state.



A unit in request is visualized via the green light bar on the delegate unit and by blinking the microphone led ring.

The chairman can activate delegate unit that are in request state by pressing the NEXT icon on his unit.



The light bar of first delegate unit in the queue list will become red and the microphone will be activated.

The chairman can cancel all the active microphones by short pressing the PRIOR icon.



Holding the PRIOR button will temporarily mute all active microphones. Releasing the PRIOR button will return the status of the microphones as before the PRIOR button was pressed.

12.3. Vox setting



12.3.1. Pencil drop



This setting allows the elimination of the activation of microphones by short sounds. For example when a pencil is dropped on a desk

The Pencil drop setting can be set on or off.

12.3.2. Sensitivity



Each room has a different acoustic. With this setting it is possible to adjust the sensitivity of the VOX mode.

The voice activation of a microphone is triggered by a sound level, adjustable between 0 and -24 dBFs.

12.3.3. Release time

000

A voice activated microphone will be switched off when, during a certain time ,no sound was detected . This time is adjustable between 1 and 10 seconds.

12.4. Microphone preset



There are 3 limiter gain presets to choose from. The choice between these 3 will depend on the distance between the speaker and the microphone.

This setting influences the sensitivity and the dynamic range of the microphones.

Each step (far, average and close) causes a halving or doubling off the distance from the speaker to the microphone to have the same output level

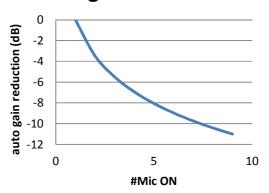
Below you can find the relation between microphone sensitivity preset, used distances between microphone and speaker and output level.

| | Relative output level at fixed distance between microphone and speaker |
|---------|--|
| Close | Level reference |
| Average | Level reference + 6dB |
| Far | Level reference + 12dB |

| | Change in distance between speaker and microphone to obtain the same output level |
|---------|---|
| Close | distance reference |
| Average | distance reference x 2 |
| Far | distance reference x 4 |

There is also a fixed automatic gain reduction setting that reduces the volume per active microphone depending on the total number of active microphones. See graph below:

Auto gain reduction



12.5. Microphone Limit



The maximum open microphones at the same time can be chosen between 1 and 8.

The value of this menu item is represented by a number of delegate icons.

e.g. 4 open microphones



On top of the maximum number of active delegates it is possible to activate a maximum of 8 chairman units.

12.6. Eco mode



The central unit has an ECO function that is going into low power mode after the system has not been used for a certain period.

The eco mode can be set on or off.

12.7. Settings menu



12.7.1. Factory settings



When the factory settings reset is selected and confirmed, the CU will reboot with its default settings. (See chapter 13)

12.7.2. System info



Displays general system info as shown in example below

Serial number and software version

SN 10552685 V v 010C

12.8. Headphone volume

Adjust the headphone volume of the CU



The headphone volume of the central unit can be adjusted via the central unit menu.

12.9. Chime



Whenever the chairman uses the prior button, a chime tone will be audible

The chime mode can be set on or off.

12.10. External processing

12.10.1. Independent aux settings



Auxiliary input and output settings are independent form each other and allow external signal to be added to the floor and to extract the total floor signal Audio path for Independent Aux settings.

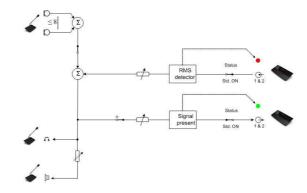


Figure 12.1: Normal audio path

12.10.2. Remote Conferencing



Remote conferencing option gives the possibility to connect a central unit to e.g. a video conferencing system or telephone coupler. To prevent echoing, the remote conferencing option needs to be set.



Note:

When selecting "Remote conferencing, Aux volume settings are set to default values!

So Aux input – output levels have to be set to desired values AFTER selecting "Remote conferencing"

Audio path for N_1

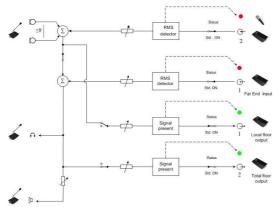


Figure 12.2: Remote conferencing audio path

12.10.3. External Equalizer



To avoid feedback or to equalize audio signals it is possible to connect external equipment to the central unit. When this setting is chosen, the floor signal (mics + Aux IN2) will be routed to both AUX OUT. The signal present at AUX IN1 will be used as the new floor channel and audible on the units loudspeakers. This way it is possible to use external audio equipment like equalizers, feedback destroyers or mixers. The schematic below summarizes this feature.

The signal at both AUX OUT will be the sum of the microphones and the AUX IN2.

Audio path for external equalizer Mode

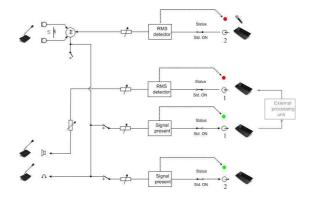


Figure 12.3: External equalizer audio path



Note:

"Remote conferencing" and
"External Equalizer" audio paths
apply only to Aux In 1 and Aux Out 1.

In "remote conferencing" setup mode, Aux Out 1 is considered as "local floor" out and Aux Out 2 is considered as "total floor" out.

Aux Input 1 is used as "Far End input", so this signal will not be part of the Aux Out 1 signal.

Aux Input 2 (XLR) can also be used to add a signal (e.g. from external microphones) to the local floor.



Note:

When selecting "External equalizer", Aux volume settings are set to default values!

So Aux input – output levels have to be set to desired values AFTER selecting "External Equalizer"

12.11. Audio out





The D-Cerno CU has 2 auxiliary output RCA connectors.

On each output there is also an activity indication. (Led is on when level > -40dBV)

The output gain is adjustable between +24dB and -51dB + "OFF"

Default gain value = 0dB

10dBV (=0dBFS)

12.12. Audio In





Two auxiliary line inputs are available on the central unit.

Aux IN1: RCA connector
Aux IN2: XLR connector

On each input there is also an overload led indication. (Led is on when input level > 9dBV)

The input gain is adjustable between +24dB and -51dB + "OFF"

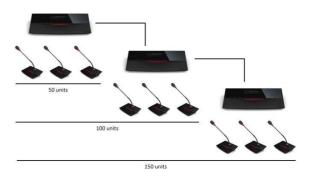
Default gain value = 0dB

10dBV (=0dBFS)

12.13. Master-slave configuration

Whenever an installation requires more than 50 units the system can be extended using 1 or 2 extra central units in a master/slave configuration.

The system can be extended to a maximum of 150 units. One D-cerno central unit acts like a master whereas the other central units are configured as slave units.



If the icon like picture below is selected, the D-cerno central unit will then act as a master.



If the icon like picture below is selected, the D-cerno central unit will then act as a slave.



The menu of a slave central unit cannot be accessed. That means that all settings need to be done on the master central unit. For example: initialization of the units, volume settings...

The external audio in and output cannot be used on the slave central unit(s).

Section 5 – Appendix

13. Default Settings

| Menu Item | Default Value | |
|------------------------------------|---------------|---------------------------|
| Operating Mode | 1 0 | Direct Access |
| Activation mode | i | Toggle |
| Pencil drop | | On |
| Sensitivity | * | -24 dBFs |
| Release time | Ģ ∳(• | 4 seconds |
| Microphone preset | (ı | Far (Maximum sensitivity) |
| Maximum number of open microphones | TTTT | 4 |
| Eco mode | # | On |
| Headphone Volume | \bigcap | -6dBFs |
| Chime | . | Off |
| Loudspeaker Volume | -6dBFS | |
| Output level Aux Out 1 | -10 dBFS | |

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|------------------------|------------------------------|
| Output level Aux Out 2 | -10 dBFS |
| Input level Aux In 1 | OFF |
| Input level Aux In 2 | OFF |
| Aux-In/Out Mode | ⊕ Independent ⊶ |

14. Technical Data

14.1. Electrical and Electro Acoustical Characteristics

25Hz to 15KHz (+/-3dB) Frequency response Harmonic distortion ≤ 0.02% Input sensitivity 0dBV=-10dBFS +24dB to -51dB + "OFF" Input gain adjustment Input impedance Aux 1 \geq 7 K Ω (asymm.) Input impedance Aux2 \geq 20 K Ω (symm.) Output level 0dBV= -10dBFS Output gain adjustment +24dB to -51dB + "OFF" Output impedance ≤ 600 Ω Volume control 0dB to -46dB + "OFF" Headphone output level Max 70mW in 32 Ω Headphone volume control 0dB to -72dB + "OFF" Headphone impedance = 16 Ω to 150 Ω

14.2. Mechanical Characteristics

Dimensions W x H x D (mm)

Central unit: 300 x 135 x 50

Including Packing: 345 x 250 x 155

Delegate / Chairman unit: 210 x135 x 50

Including Packing: 335 x 250 x 120

Power supply: 170 x 70 x 35

Including Packing: 215 x 160 x 50

Weight (g)

Central unit: 1300

Including packing 2660

(CU + PS + Cable)

Delegate / Chairman unit: 660

Including packing 1100

(unit + cable)

Power supply: 920

14.3. Environmental Characteristics

Temperature 5°C to 50°C

Humidity Protection class EP10

Compliant to IEC 60068_2.14

14.4. System limits

Max units on CU 50

Max units on one port 25

Max chairman-units 8

Maximum cable length 400 m

(branch or loop)

Maximum cable length between units

or between CU and first unit 80m



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